

Irish and Princeton Will Provide 1923 Football Classic

Notre Dame to Meet Tigers At Princeton on October 20

Announcement of Game Completes Most Formidable Schedule Ever Undertaken by Irish—Meets Army, Princeton and Georgia Tech on Successive Saturdays.

NOTRE DAME 1923 SCHEDULE

Sept. 23—Kalamazoo at Notre Dame.
Oct. 6—Lombard at Notre Dame.
Oct. 13—Army at New York City.
Oct. 20—Princeton at Princeton.
Oct. 27—Georgia Tech. at Notre Dame (Homecoming game).
Nov. 3—Purdue at Notre Dame.
Nov. 10—Nebraska at Lincoln.
Nov. 17—Butler at Notre Dame.
Nov. 24—Carnegie Tech. at Pittsburgh.
Nov. 28—St. Louis at St. Louis.

BY CHARLES M. EGAN

With the definite announcement yesterday that the Notre Dame football team will journey to Princeton, N. J., on Oct. 20, 1923, to meet Coach Roper's Tiger team, this year's champion of the east, the toughest schedule ever arranged for a Notre Dame team has been completed. As a matter of fact, the schedule is just about as formidable as has ever been arranged for any team, east or west.

The announcement of the scheduling of the contest with Princeton followed the receipt of word from Coach Roper stating that the athletic board of the eastern university had approved of the contest with the Irish. Arrangements for the invasion of Palmer stadium, the lair of the Tiger, by Coach Rockne's team, had been pending for some time, but no public notice had been made of it, as the signing of the agreement for the game awaited the final action of the Princeton board, which met this week.

Classic of Season.

The clash between the "Fighting Irish" and the "Fighting Tiger," two of the "fightingest" teams in the country, should provide the intersectional classic of the season, as no two teams, the country over, could provide a more colorful struggle. The game will bring together not only two of the most powerful eleven of the year, but will also mark the meeting of the two greatest exponents of the open style of football as highly in favor with football followers. This fact alone should make the game a much greater drawing card than the Princeton-Chicago contest of 1921 when less than 20,000 persons journeyed to the Palmer stadium to see the Maroons play.

Another picturesque angle to the game from the standpoint of football critics is the fact that the two teams of the season, the two greatest coaches in the land, Knute Rockne and Bill Roper. Both have uniformly successful teams and the clash should bring forth the best possible in gridiron play.

The agreement with the Princeton authorities covers merely the 1923 contest, Coach Rockne said.

Four Banner Games.

While the schedule includes four games of paramount importance—those with Princeton, Army, Nebraska and Georgia Tech—none of the other games, with the exception of the opening contests, can be looked upon as easy. In meeting the Army and Princeton, the Irish will oppose two of the best teams the east can boast of, and in Nebraska and Georgia Tech, Rockne's men will face the champions of their respective sections. Five of the games will be played at Carter field and five away from home.

A extra state will just about give the Irish a stranglehold on the national championship. The season will open on Sept. 23 with Kalamazoo providing the opposition at Carter field. The Kalamazoo game has opened each season for the past couple of years and always furnish a good practice fray. The following Saturday the Lombard college eleven of Galesburg, Ill., will play at Notre Dame in the last game before the "big noise" starts. The Lombard team has not been beaten in two years and decisively trimmed the Irish reserves during the season just closed.

Three in a Row. After the Lombard game come three of the biggest games of the season on successive Saturdays. The Cadets of West Point will come first and Army afterwards have consented to permit the 1923 game to be played at New York instead of at the historic Plains. The United States academy and the tremendous interest which the annual classic has aroused necessitated this change. It has not been definitely decided yet, however, whether the game will be staged at the Polo Grounds or at the new Yankee park.

Following the Army game—which should provide a great battle as during the last season the Irish and Army met at the West Point stadium and many of the West Point stars will again be available—the Irish squad will return to South Bend for three days practice before entraining for Princeton. The Notre Dame team may be handicapped to some extent by the fact that the powerful Army team cannot be lost sight of in the preparation for the Orange and Black eleven but Irish followers, nevertheless, are to a man united in the belief that Capt. Brown's men will surpass the Tiger team.

First Time Since 1914. It will be the first time since 1914 when Capt. "Duke" Jones' team lost to Yale in the bowl at New Haven by a 28 to 0 score, that Notre Dame has played a "big three" team. After the battle at Princeton Coach Rockne will bring his charges back to Notre Dame to prepare for the invasion of the Golden Tornado who come to Notre Dame on Oct. 27 for the Homecoming game. This game should mark a new epoch in South Bend football history, for the Yellow Jackets will be out to even the count after the 1922 defeat at the hands of the Irish.

Jimmy Heelan will bring his Purdue team to Carter field on Nov. 3 and the Boiler-makers are expected to be a greatly improved squad. On Nov. 10 the Irish will journey to Lincoln, Neb., for a chance to avenge the 14-0 defeat at the hands of the Cornhuskers this year, and on Nov. 17 "Pat" Pate's strong Butler team will oppose the Rockne clan at Carter field. Then only contests with Carnegie Tech. at Pittsburgh on Nov. 24 and with the

MICHIGAN CITIANS BEAT LOCAL 'Y' OUTFIT, 30 TO 27

South Bend Five Shows Lack of Practice, but Put Up Game Battle.

The Michigan City "Y" basketball team last night defeated Coach Cooper's local Y. M. C. A. quintet in a hard-fought contest at the association gym, the final score being 30 to 27. It was the first game of the season for the South Bend team and they showed the lack of teamwork and practice which had been expected to afford the visiting team an advantage. The Michigan City five led throughout the contest although the locals were always but a few points in the rear and threatening to take the lead.

Elmer Burnham, high school coach and veteran star of Cooper's team, was the bright star of the game for the locals and he showed that he had lost none of his old cunning for hitting the basket. After being held to one basket during the first half, at the end of which Michigan City led by a 12-to-7 score, Burnham gave a brilliant exhibition in the last half and played rings around his opponents, garnering six goals from the field as well as two times from the foul line.

Jim Healy Stars

The work of Jim Healy, formerly a star on the Indiana university freshmen five, was the outstanding feature of the play of the Michigan City team. Playing at a running guard position, Healy collected seven baskets for the visitors and was largely responsible for the victory. Healy gave a pretty exhibition of floor work also and teamed well with Estes at forward in making short passes down the floor result in points. Estes marked three goals from the field while Precious, his teammate at forward, added two more.

At the start of the game, Cooper sent in Edner and Burnham at the forwards, and Warren and Rhodes at the guards, and Radabaugh at center. This combination worked well together, but many short tosses were missed during the period and this later proved fatal to the local's chances.

Meet Laporte Next

During the second half, Radabaugh was shifted to forward to replace Edner, and McCoy sent in at center. Maxey also replaced Warren at guard for a short time during the half. The new combination did not team together as well as the first one, although Radabaugh, Burnham and Rhodes began to recover their shooting eyes during the period.

Coach Cooper expressed himself as satisfied with the work of his men and said that he plans to schedule some of the strongest teams of the section for games on the local court. The next contest will be with the Laporte "Y" quintet on the Y. M. C. A. floor here next Thursday night.

A volleyball contest, which preceded the basketball game, was won by the South Bend team from the Michigan City representatives.

The lineup and score:

	PG	FT	PF	TP
Estes, rf	3	0	3	0
Precious, lf	2	0	3	0
W. Cook, c	0	6	1	0
Healy, rg	7	0	2	0
G. Cook, lg	0	0	0	0
Totals	12	6	6	0
South Bend Y. M. C. A. (27)				
Edner, rf	1	0	0	0
Burnham, lf	7	2	0	0
Radabaugh, c	2	0	0	0
Rhodes, rg	2	1	1	0
Warren, lg	0	0	3	0
Maxey, lg	0	0	0	0
McCoy, c	0	0	0	0
Totals	12	3	4	0

Free throws missed: Burnham 2, Rhodes 1, Radabaugh 1.

Referee, Sims, Wabash.

New Rules Will Not Alter Style Of Court Game

Member of Rules Committee Comments on Regulations Regarding Fouls.

(Editor's Note.—In the following article, L. W. St. John, Ohio State basketball coach and a member of the rules committee, discusses recent changes in rules and their probable effects.)

(By L. W. ST. JOHN.)

The changes in basketball rules for 1922-23 will not affect, in any large way, the style of play. It has been definitely recognized for some time that penalties for fouls needed some revision. For example, practically the only penalty for foul plays in basketball has been a free throw and this penalty has been inflicted whether a player committed a technical violation, such as advancing with the ball or breaking a dribble, or whether the foul committed was a vigorous personal foul for holding or pushing an opponent.

It was felt that penalties should more nearly fit the offense committed. The rules this year provide therefore that technical violations of the rules, such as running with the ball, kicking the ball or striking it with the fist, violation of the jumping rule and breaking of a dribble, are penalized, not by a free throw, but by giving the ball to the opponent out of bounds at the side of the floor nearest the point where such violation occurred. This will operate to reduce the pert that foul goals play in the final score. On the other hand, a zone has been marked off at either end of the floor which may be termed the "scoring zone." A team's scoring zone is that

Notre Dame Is Defeated After Great Showing

Lose Out in Extra Period After Overcoming Early Lead of Illinois Five.

URBANA, Ill., Dec. 21. (Special.)—After overcoming a nine-point lead which the Illini had enjoyed at the end of the first half, and after displaying a great quality of basketball in the final period, the Notre Dame basketball team broke here Thursday night under the terrific strain of four hard games on as many nights and the strong Illinois five won 41 to 38 in a bitterly-fought game which required three minutes of overtime play to decide. Coach Roper's team nosed out the victory by scoring four field goals in the overtime period while the Irish were garnering one basket and one free throw.

The game was one of the best ever played in the Illinois gymnasium, each team showing flashes of brilliancy which kept the spectators on their feet throughout most of the final period, however, and accurate shooting by Logan, Enright and Don Miller soon had the Irish back in the game and they went ahead of the Illini before the half was very old.

The lead see-sawed back and forth first one team and then the other holding the advantage, until, with but 35 seconds left to play, Illinois led by one point. Von Doorn fouled Miller in the act of shooting and the Irish were awarded two tries from the foul line.

With everything at stake, Noble Kizer came through and sank the first toss, tying the score, but he missed the second and an extra period was necessary to decide the honors as the gun barked the end of the half a few seconds after Kizer's futile toss.

During the overtime play, the Illini were not to be forestalled as they hit up a furious pace and counted four field goals while the Irish were held to three points.

Stillwell, Illini Star. Don Miller, Logan and Enright were the bright stars in the play of the Notre Dame team, while Layden, who replaced Gene Mayl when the latter was forced out on personal fouls, also played a strong game at guard.

The Notre Dame players were warmly applauded by Illinois supporters for their great showing for as no time during the fray did the Irish let up although they showed signs of fatigue due to the strenuous four-day trip.

Stillwell was the Illinois "ace," the lanky center tossing eight goals from the field in addition to playing a brilliant game.

The game was the last of the Illinois jaunt and members of the squad departed for their homes to remain until after the holidays.

Illinois. FB FT TP Helstrom, F. 2 0 6 Potter, F. 2 1 10 Roettger, F. 2 1 5 Stillwell, G. 8 0 16 Popken, G. 2 0 0 Lape, G. 0 0 0 VanDoorn, G. 0 0 0 Holloper, G. 1 0 2

Total 17 7 41
Notre Dame. FB FT TP Logan, F. 4 0 8 Enright, F. 5 0 14 Miller, PF. 3 0 6 Kizer, G. 0 6 6 Reardon, G. 1 0 2 Layden, GC. 0 0 0 Mayl, G. 0 0 0

Total 13 12 28
Referee—Young, Illinois Wesleyan. Umpire—Millard, Illinois Wesleyan.

zone in which the basket lies in which said team is trying to score. Under the new rule if a personal foul is committed against a player in his own scoring zone, his team is to be allowed two free tries for goals.

It will be noted that this rule replaces the old rule which permitted the officials to award a man two free tries if he were fouled while in the act of shooting for a basket. It was difficult to determine just when a man was in the act of shooting, and this rule was seldom enforced.

The new rule, allowing two free tries for a man fouled in his own goal zone, certainly makes the penalty more directly fit the crime. This will increase, somewhat, the number of foul goals scored from personal fouls, but will not overbalance the decreased number of foul goals which will result from some of the old technical fouls now penalized by giving the ball to the opponents, out of bounds.

Another rule which is bound to be noted by the spectator is the rule which forbids the incoming substitute communicating in any way with other players on the floor except through the official until the play has been resumed. This rule is patterned after the similar rule in football which is calculated to minimize the contact of the coach with the team on the floor.

FRANKLIN TRIUMPHS

FRANKLIN, Dec. 21.—(By A. P.)—The Franklin basketball team overhauled the Hanover quintet here tonight, 37 to 15. Franklin scored 22 points in the first half to four for the visitors.

Two of Country's Greatest Coaches To Oppose Each Other Next Season



KNUTE ROCKNE.

The clash of the Irish and Tiger at the Palmer stadium next season has many interesting phases and not the least of these will be the meeting on the football field of the two coaches, Knute Rockne and Bill Roper. Each occupies a high pinnacle in football and their teams always offer the very best in gridiron strategy.

BILL ROPER.

Tommy Gibbons Receives Offer To Meet Dempsey

ST. PAUL, Dec. 21.—(By A. P.)—Tommy Gibbons, local heavyweight who recently outpointed Billy Miske in 10 rounds, has received an offer from a New York promoter for a match with Jack Dempsey. It became known here today. Gibbons was asked to state the terms he would ask.

"If Dempsey can be induced to enter the ring with me, there will be no squabble over terms, so far as I am concerned," Gibbons said. "Any date suits me. All that is necessary is to get Dempsey's signature."

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Benny Leonard's New Cafe Raided By Federal Men

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—(By A. P.)—The "Ringside," a new white light cafe of which Benny Leonard, light weight champion pugilist, is part owner, was raided tonight by 15 federal prohibition agents. It was just before the after-theater crowd had gathered and the agents found neither guests nor liquor.

The cafe had been searched twice before, although it was opened only recently.

The lightweight champion has been turning most of his attention to the new cafe, much to the anger of Charlie White, Lew Tendler and other title aspirants, who charge that he is dodging a championship bout with them.

Who is the greatest fly? batsman of all time?

Baseball critics are strongly divided on that question. While the greatness of George Sisler as an all-round star is generally recognized, still the right to be classed as the king of first sackers is not always conceded to him. So great an authority as John McGraw of the New York Giants, in picking his All-Star major league team, selects Frank Chance for first base, Connie Mack and Wilbert Robinson for second and third.

However, if one were to ask the best players who was the greatest first baseman in the history of the game, holding alone considered, Hat Chase would be the unanimous choice.

Ball players in both major leagues have long served in the American and National League the talking of the remarkable feats that Chase has performed.

Chase originated many of the methods that are now generally regarded as a part of the work of every skillful first sacker. Chase also was a good batsman, one of the greatest hit-and-run players in the history of the game. While not a great base runner, his head-first was a thing of beauty.

All things considered, however the first-base honors must be slipped to George Sisler.

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HIGH SCHOOL TEAM MEETS TILDEN TECH NET FIVE TONIGHT

Chicago Quintet Expected to Furnish Stiff Opposition to Burnham's Tossers.

Coach Elmer Burnham will send his high school basketball team tonight to their second contest of the season at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium to meet the Tilden Tech quintet of Chicago. The game promises to be hard fought as the Chicagoans have a high ranking in the Windy City high school league and they will be out to square accounts for the 21-0 defeat which the Orange and Blue football team handed their eleven last fall.

Burnham has been drilling his charges hard all week in preparation for this clash as the team realizes the value of the Chicago team, which is much stronger than Lane Tech, who proved rather easy for the local five last Friday night. The Orange and Blue squad is in good condition and, while Burnham is not entirely satisfied with the work of several members of the first string, he is confident that if the locals get away to a good start, the Chicagoans will be unable to stop them.

The same lineup which started the game with Lane-Miller and Hollowell, forward; Capt. Nykos, center, and Rionberg and Voelbach, guards—is likely to start against the Tilden team. Burnham, Rockstroff, Sabe and Brechauer are also expected to see action during the fray.

ever been successfully handled by a playing pitcher, or one who has outlived his usefulness on the rubber. Clarke Griffith, best of all pitcher-managers, had a rather tempestuous career.

Christy Mathewson is one of the few great pitchers who tried the managerial game after he became a pitcher. He met with only fair success in handling the Cincinnati club.

Catchers seem to predominate as managers. In the National League Bill Killefer at Chicago, Pat Moran at Cincinnati, Branch Rickey at St. Louis, Wilbert Robinson at Brooklyn and Fred Mitchell at Boston, all learned the fine points of the game back of the bat.

In the American League the managerial honors are divided among catchers, infielders and outfielders.

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